

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of

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For: BRAKING PRESSURE CONTROL APPARATUS  
CAPABLE OF SWITCHING BETWEEN TWO  
BRAKE OPERATING STATES USING POWER-  
OPERATED AND MANUALLY OPERATED  
PRESSURE SOURCES, RESPECTIVELY



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Sir:

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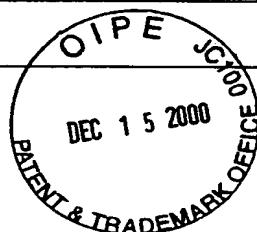
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